



IFW

PATENT  
Attorney Docket No. 09877.0352-0000

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:	)	
	)	
Feliciano CECCHI et al.	)	Group Art Unit: 2883
	)	
Application No.: 10/532,718	)	Examiner: Lepisto, Ryan A.
	)	
Filed: January 9, 2006	)	
	)	
For: TELECOMMUNICATION CABLE	)	Confirmation No.: 8747
COMPRISING JOINTED OPTICAL	)	
CORE AND METHOD FOR	)	
JOINTING SAID CORE	)	

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION**

Applicants submit this Amendment in response to the non-final Office Action mailed November 27, 2006. Applicants respectfully traverse all pending objections and rejections and request reconsideration of the application, as amended.

**Amendments to the Specification** are included in this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** follow the amendment sections of this paper.